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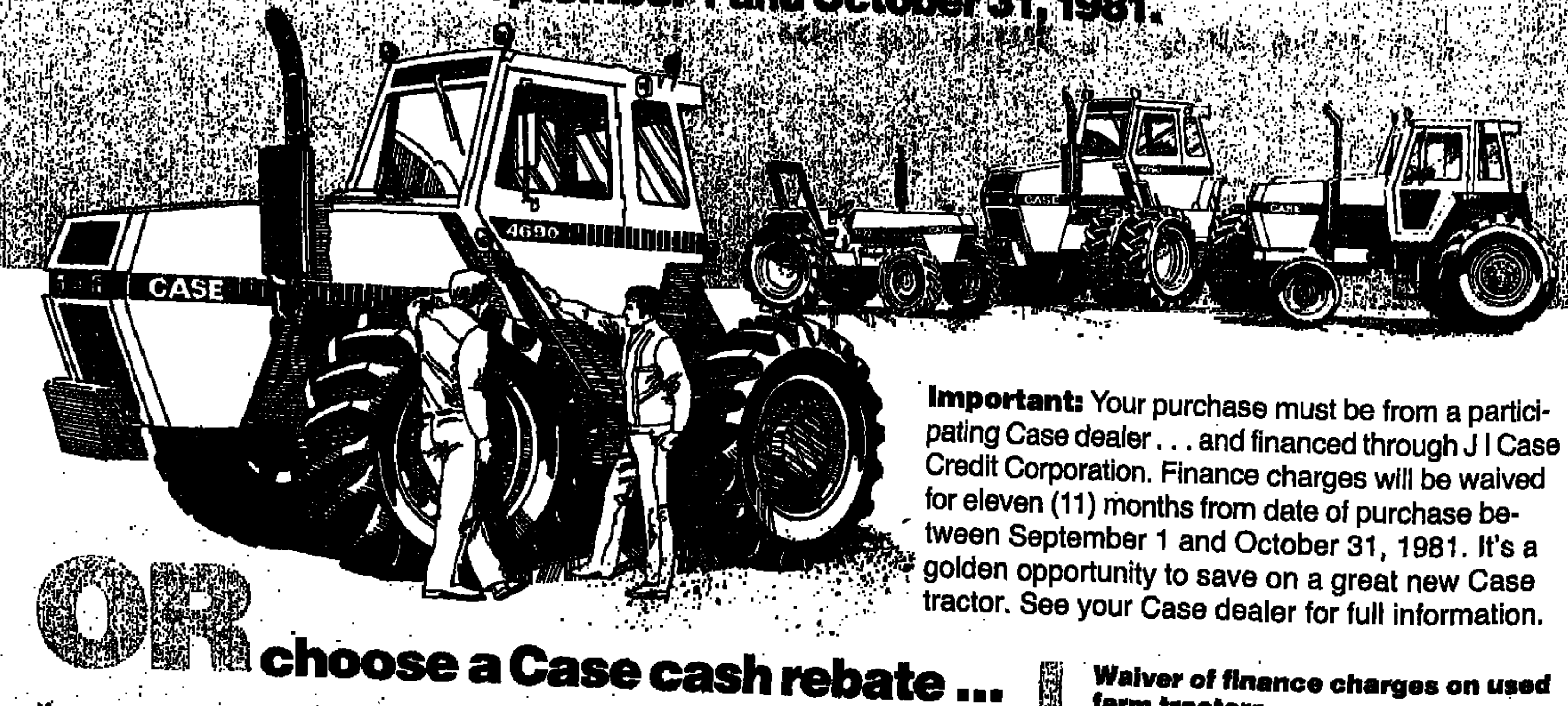

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Comments

American consumers are swept up in a wave of anti-beef, anti-meat news that amounts to a massive attempt at redevelopment of animal agriculture assets. Unlike other manias of the past, particularly the low-cholesterol craze of the 1970s, the present surge of publicity is far more disturbing.

RICHARDSON

The initial turmoil from the Australia meat impoundment has died down, but consumer distrust for the meat industry will linger long after buyers at the meat case have forgotten what country's beef couldn't be trusted.

Moreover, because USDA is species testing a much larger portion of imported beef as it enters the U.S., the entire importing process will be slowed and importers will be strapped with additional storage and interest charges. One importer estimated charges at $50 per load per day. These charges will eventually be passed along the meat chain to the consumer.

In principle, such a development should encourage domestic beef sales. Without a strong campaign for domestic beef—such as the dairy industry's real seal program—the Australian horse and kangaroo meat scandal will more likely translate into increase poultry, fish and pork sales in grocery supermarkets.

If the Australian meat scandal has the U.S. beef industry floundering uncomfortably, the September issue of Reader's Digest should add enough editorial flypaper to wipe out meat as a way of life. In a major article, the world's most read magazine with over 31 million copies printed each month in 16 languages, makes the slaughter of animals for food sound worse than the Vietnam War.

Concludes that Reader's Digest article: "Even if you have no interest in becoming a vegetarian, there's no reason why you should have animal protein at every meal, or even every day."

The article is a textbook illustration of the folly of letting pressure groups—no matter how well intentioned—gain control of public opinion. As one stockman explained to us the other day, "The anti-meat people have a gun to our heads and brought us to our knees. But it remains to be seen whether or not the cattle industry will do anything about it."

—GLEN RICHARDSON

Genetic process to affect beef industry

By CAROLYN J. HURST

The impact of a recent breakthrough by an Ohio University molecular geneticist may be felt by the beef industry in as short a time as two to five years. Dr. Thomas Wagner, who recently reported the first successful gene transfer from one animal species to another, is currently working with Genetic Engineering Inc. of Denver to coordinate research and development of the technique for use in livestock.

"What we're doing now is laying the groundwork in cattle embryology so that we can use this (gene transfer) rountinely," Wagner told WLJ in a recent telephone interview.

Wagner's breakthrough came when he successfully transferred the gene that directs hemoglobin production from a rabbit to a mouse. Of 312 mouse embryos injected with the rabbit genes, 211 survived and were transferred into female mice. The surrogate mothers produced 46 offspring; five of which contained rabbit hemoglobin protein in their red blood cells.

Genetic Engineering, which has exclusive rights to use the technique, is a public company which specializes in the improvement of animals for increased meat and milk production. Wagner will spend the next year with the company.

Wagner told WLJ there are two approaches for utilizing the gene transfer technique in livestock. The first, what he termed as a long-range application, in-

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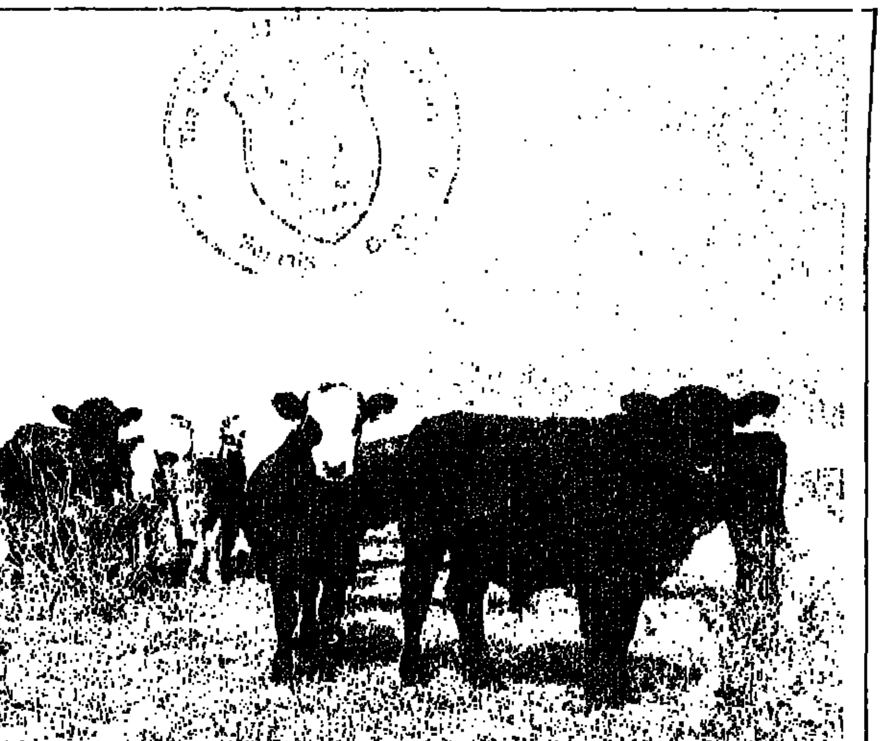

GENE TRANSFER—In two to five years, the beef industry may be impacted by research which is currently underway by a Denver firm and an Ohio University molecular geneticist. Dr. Thomas Wagner said the most immediate use of the gene transfer process will probably be in the area of hormone synthesis. See article in this week's WLJ.

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USDA to evaluate need for quality control in meat labels

USDA plans to evaluate whether approved quality control programs are necessary to document nutritional claims made on labels of meat products such as cooked sausages, according to a Meat and Poultry Inspection bulletin.

Reports CNS, the bulletin said the approval process for new nutrition labels for such products will include an evaluation of the need for a formal quality control program. USDA also will review nutrition labels that have already been approved to determine if a formal program is necessary.

USDA said the determination of whether a quality control program is necessary for products marketed with nutrition labeling will be dependent on the nature of the nutritional claims made by the labels.

It said experience with nutrition labeling and the quality control programs now required for products using such labeling has shown that quality control program requirements could be relaxed in some instances.

Block says Congress will pass farm proposal

U.S. Agriculture Secretary John Block again has predicted that Congress will pass a farm bill "substantially" in line with the Reagan administration's free-market proposals.

Scheduled to appear Sunday on the nationally televised public affairs program "It's Your Business," said Block in an advance release that by moving in a more free-market direction as quickly as possible in farm legislation, the administration believes it can provide "a climate for improved profitablity in agriculture."

Real farm income this year is projected at the lowest levels since the depression. Current USDA projections put net farm income at $20 to $24 billion—only a modest increase from the 1980 figure of 20 billion.

Block reiterated the administration's opposition to the inclusion of target prices in the new farm legislation, which is expected to be debated by the Senate in September. The House and Senate agriculture committee farm bill proposals maintain the target price concept, and efforts by the administration to reduce or cut the target price levels have been received cooly by Congress.

The Reagan administration already is facing the possibility of large deficiency payments on the 1981-82 U.S. wheat, cotton and rice crops.

Tuberculosis hits Ark. cattle herd

A breeding herd of 584 beef cattle in Dias, Ark., was destroyed because of bovine tuberculosis after a federal meat inspector found the disease in meat at a packing plant in Mississippi and traced the meat to the herd, USDA said recently.

The J. Wilman Corp., which owned the herd, consented to its destruction after several animals in the herd showed positive results to tuberculin tests, USDA said. The owners will receive federal and state indemnities of $154,003 to help compensate for the loss.

Nixon gives USDA details of beef exports

Australian Minister for Primary Industry Peter Nixon recently gave USDA details of Australia's proposed species testing program for beef exports to the U.S., reports Unicom News.

The plan calls for registered export establishments to be divided into three risk categories, with appropriate export stamps for each category as follows:

- Where product *is* produced under a full-time inspection supervision system, from slaughter to final containerization, from one establishment with one operator, samples will be taken from 10 cartons per week on a random basis.
- Where product is produced under full-time inspection supervision but where there are leased boning rooms in the establishment, samples from 10 cartons per week from each operator will be taken on a random basis.
- Where product has been transferred from either an abattoir or a boning room and stored elsewhere before containerization, samples of 10 cartons from each container of about 600 cartons will be taken.

Nixon also said the 742 spot tests of beef conducted in all Australian states by the Bureau of Animal Health up to Sept. 8 had tested postive for beef and that horse meat and kangaroo meat have been found in shipments from only two labels, ProFreeze and Jason Meats.

He said the Australian government is continuing to negotiate with USDA for the early release of the 12.54 million lb. of beef from the state of Victoria still impounded in the U.S.

Nixon said there had been no complaints from the U.S. government on Australia's handling of the scandal.

Nixon has announced the government will establish a Royal Commission, Australia's most respected independent inquiry, to investigate the meat scandal.

In a wide-ranging address on the scandal to Parliament in Canberra, Nixon said the inquiry would look into allegations that people in official positions were involved in the malpractice and also would probe meat substitution in exports from the state of Victoria.

The Opposition Labor Party leader, Bill Hayden, quickly endorsed the Royal Commission.

Nixon said the government had sent telexes to all state premiers asking their cooperation in the inquiry, and Victoria had agreed to cooperate.

In addition, Nixon said, the government would hire an independent consultant to conduct a comprehensive review on the effectiveness of the proposed new export inspection system. Nixon said he hopes the consultant will report within two months.

He said the consultant is being brought in because the government wants an opinion more quickly than could be obtained from a Royal Commission, which will take several months to make its investigation.

Australian Federal Police have charged a 35-year-old company director with 21 counts of forgery in connection with the growing meat scandal.

The man's name was not released, but he was described by police as a 35-year-old company director and former meat retailer and wholesaler. He is the first person to be charged in the scandal which has rocked Australia's billion dollar meat export industry.

Officials said the man was charged with 20 counts of forging documents usable or deliverable to a commonwealth department and one count of forging official seals or stamps.

Recently, a 54-year-old

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COW POKES By Ace Reid

"Naw we ain't havin' a tornado... it's only Maw learnin' how to drive!"

Nominations open for Feedlot Test program

Nominations of calves for the 1981-82 Colorado Feedlot Test and Carcass Evaluation Program will be accepted until Oct. 23, according to Don Willis, executive director of the Colorado Beef Board.

The program, initiated nearly two decades ago by the Cattle Improvement Committee of the Colorado Cattlemen's Assn., Colorado Beef Board and Colorado State University, is designed to evaluate feeding traits and carcass merit of calves fed under normal feedlot conditions in order that participants can quickly get a reading on their herds or progeny groups for genetic improvement.

"A secondary benefit of the program," says Willis "is that it offers the ability for a rancher to identify the best marketing advantage for his calves without placing his entire calf crop in a commercial feedlot." Since the calves are fed on a two-stage growing ration for approximately 90 days and individually weighed, one can evaluate whether it is more advantageous to sell the calves at home or sell them as "warmed up" feeder cattle. The calves are further fed for an additional 90 days, or until it is assumed they will reach low Choice quality grade when slaughtered.

It is a simple procedure for the rancher to compare the net return (carcass value—incurred feedlot costs) from cattle fed in the test under retained ownership with the going price for warmed up feeder cattle at mid-test or the return the calves would have brought by selling them at home, to adjust his marketing practices in the future.

Calves must be born no earlier than Jan. 1, 1981 and must weigh at least 425 lb. when deliered to Miller Feedlots, Inc. #2 feedlot at Peckham, Colorado, Nov. 19 and 20. A minimum of 5 head must be nominated according to Willis, and to get a good evaluation, 10-20 head is suggested. "We have some breeders who will send 8 or 10 sire groups of 10 head each," said Willis, attesting to the fact that it is an unbiased evaluation tool for a producer to utilize in upgrading his herd.

Calves are identified individually upon arrival at the lot and after an adjustment period of 15-21 days, weighed individually for the official on test weight, weighed at 90 days and 180 days with all gain data run through a computer each time and disseminated by individual dates, breed and herd averages as well as individual sire groups. All carcass data and incurred feedlot costs, returns, etc. are reported on the computer printouts—some 45 data points in all.

All costs incurred against the animals while at the feedlots are carried by Miller Feedlots, Inc. at the going interest rate and are deducted from the carcass value of each animal when slaughtered.

Willis stated that, "the only out of pocket cost to the cooperators is a charge of $10/head for in-state and $12.50/head for out-of-state cattle to cover part of the computer costs."

"In the last eighteen years, we have put nearly 18,000 head of cattle through the program. I would encourage every progressive cattleman to put calves in the program at least once," said Willis.

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Breed(s) ____________

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42 buyers select Beefmaster bulls

By JERRY YORK

Forty-two buyers from 12 states and Mexico selected 100 Lasater Beefmaster bulls at the Lasater Ranch, Matheson under that firm's contract delivery plan. Average price paid was $2,420 with a top price of $3,400 on the first selection. The price dropped $20 on each subsequent selection making the last bull bring $1,420.

The buyers entered into their contracts last fall shortly after the birth of the first bulls in the offering. The Lasater Ranch starts calving in August and delivers the bulls the following August following a 62 day gain test.

To assist buyers in making their selection, they are furnished with a list showing the weaning weight, 62 day gain, and the current weight.

The largest number of buyers were from Texas, with Oklahoma, New Mexico, Missouri, Florida, Colorado, Kansas, Arizona, California, Idaho, Wyoming and Illinois also being represented.

William J. Broussard, Melbourne, Florida took 10 head, Kanapaha Ranch, Jacksonville, Fla. took 10 head, L.S. McDowell Ranches, Big Springs, Tex. took 6 head, Advento Guerra, Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico took 5 head, D.P. Boothe, Jr., Sausalito, Calif. took 5 head, Eddie Lumpkin, Okeechobee, Fla. took 4 head, Musser Brothers, Delta, Colo. took 4 head and John S. Cargile, San Angelo, Tex., McAllen Ranch, Linn, Tex., and Payette River Ranch, Emmett, Id. each took 3 head.

This was the 32nd annual bull contract for the Lasater Ranch and the buyers list was full of repeat customers, proof that the bulls are working and doing the job.

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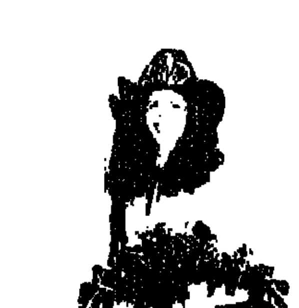


MISS APHA—A winsome miss from Arizona captured the Miss APHA title during the National Paint Horse Show in Oklahoma City. The winner of the week-long competition was Barbara Trueba, 21, Scottsdale, Ariz.

Coming Events

Sept. 17-18—Western South Dakota Ram & Ewe Show & Sale, Newell, S.D.
Sept. 26-27—Heritage Place Fall Show and Performance Horse Sale, Oklahoma City, Okla.

HORSE AUCTIONS

Sept. 19—Pitzer Ranch 5th Annual Quarter Horse Production Sale, Ericson, Neb.
Sept. 19 & 20—Odle Cumberlin Performance Horse Sale, Henderson, Colo.
Sept. 20—O'Brien Quarter Horse Complete Dispersal, Kearney, Neb.
Sept. 26—Wakara Ranch Quarter Horse Reduction Sale, Meeker, Colo.
Sept. 27—Heritage Place Fall Paint Horse Show, Performance & Race Sale, Oklahoma City, Okla.

CATTLE AUCTIONS

Sept. 14—Beckton Stock Farm 23rd Red Angus Production Sale, Sheridan, Wyo.
Sept. 17—Westwind Polled Hereford Fall Seed Stock Sale, Valier, Mont.
Sept. 18—Baker-Doherty 6th Annual Champagne Texas Longhorn Sale, Lawton, Okla.
Sept. 19—Granada Brangus Fall All Female Production Sale, Marquez, Texas.
Sept. 19—Bob Roen Ranch "Dynamite Day" Complete Hereford Dispersion, Bowman, N.D.
Sept. 22—The Pinzgauer Bonanza Dispersal Sale, Raymore, Mo.
Sept. 23—Jessen Polled Herefords "Benchmark Sale" Complete Dispersal, Altonah, Utah.
Sept. 25—PAYS Video 6th Annual Montana Feeder Cattle Contract Auction, Billings, Mont.
Sept. 26—Montana Red Angus Field Day, Bench Ranch, Fishtail, Mont.
Sept. 26—6th Annual Eastern Devon Cattle Assn. Sale, Nokesville, Va.
Sept. 26—Texas Red Polled Assn. Annual Sale, Brenham, Texas.
Sept. 27—Ute Ranch & Packard Cattle Co. Joint Simmental Production Sale, Elbert, Colo.
Sept. 28—Anthony Shadow Isle Cow/Calf Sale, Minatare, Neb.
Sept. 28-29—Bayers Hereford Ranch (Soulsby Line One Division) Dispersion, Stanford, Mont.
Sept. 29—LJ Bar Beefmaster Ranch, Pleasanton, Texas.
Sept. 30—Quirk Land & Cattle Co. Complete Simmental Female Dispersal, Hastings, Neb.

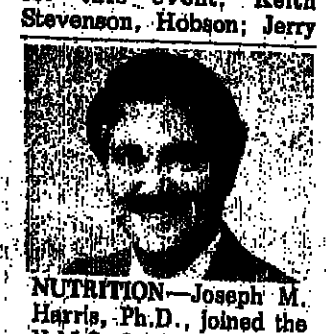
Busy month ahead for Red Angus breeders

By RALPH HEINEMANN

Late September and October will be a busy time for Montana Red Angus breeders announces Jack Heyneman, Fishtail, Mont., Red Angus Assn. president. Beginning Sept. 26, the Montana Red Angus Assn. field day and barbecue will kick off the activity at the Bench Ranch, Fishtail. This event will feature livestock judging, a ranch tour, games, and a clearing house for buyers and sellers of Red Angus breeding stock and feeder cattle. And information exchanged in the broadest sense. Everyone is invited to this event according to Jack Heyneman, Bench Ranch owner.

The week of Oct. 12 - 17 is Northern Internation Livestock Exposition (NILE) in Billings, Mont.; and the Montana Red Angus Assn. is planning to be well represented there. An evening, Tuesday, Oct. 13, activity will begin the affair. A pre-show and pre-sale cocktail hour is scheduled at the Holiday Inn West. The Red Angus breed show is Oct. 14 and 11 a.m. Judges for this event; Keith Stevenson, Hobson; Jerry Tonne, Geraldine; and Jim Thiessen, Lambert. At 4 p.m., the "Prestigious Inspector" sale of Red Angus females is scheduled at the NILE. Sale entries will have been selected for confirmation, performance and condition by leading cattlemen of all breeds, livestock publication representatives and other parties interested in beef cattle improvement. Class and division winners from the morning show to be eligible for this show.

NILE Red Angus activity will conclude with a 6 p.m. cocktail hour and dance at the Holiday Inn.



NUTRITION—Joseph M. Harris, Ph.D., joined the V.M.S., Inc. nutrition staff recently. Dr. Harris received his degrees from the University of Florida in animal science and microbiology.

Rocky Mountain Spectacular
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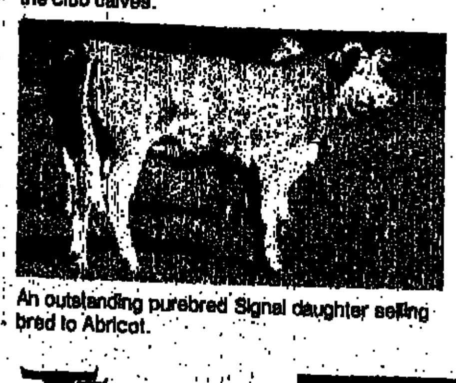

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Auction Results

"SALE OF SALES"
Houston, Texas, Aug. 29

1 guaranteed pregnancy	$2,000
9 bulls	12,744
12 females	9,529

Auctioneer: Skinner Hardy, Bakersfield, Calif.
Sale Manager: World Sales, John Joyce, Wharton, Texas

High selling bull: Mr. JSJ Elefante 85; Kevin Joyce, Wharton, to Clive Gardner, South Africa, $80,000.

High selling female: LMT Miss Diamond T 241; Diamond T Ranch, Bay City, to Joe Tarrant, Athens, $32,500.

INTERNATIONAL BRAHMAN
Houston, Texas, Aug. 28

20 females	$3,485
10 bulls	6,930

High selling bull: S.I.R. Sullman 373, 4/29/79 by Mr. V8 120/2; Santa Isabel Ranch, Inc., Waller, to Raul Montforte, Denis, Mex., $35,000.

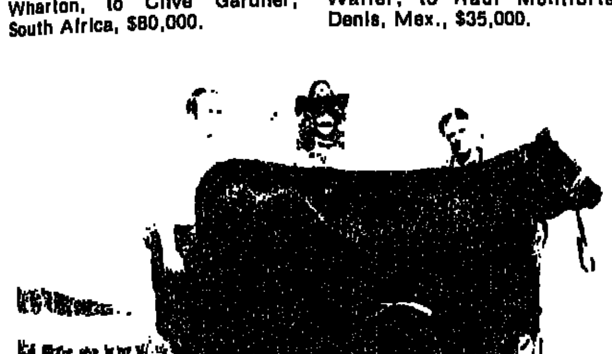
High selling female: LMT Miss Diamond T 349, 3/16/80 by WHS Madhyo Esto 547/8; Diamond T. Ranch, Bay City, to Joe Tarrant, Athens, $11,000.

WILLARD NORDICK PRODUCTION SALE
Limon, Colo., Aug. 22

57 head	$3,551.32

Auctioneer: Dean H. Parker
Sale Managers: Dean H. Parker—Thane E. Lancaster & Assoc.

Tops: Ruff Surf, 1974 sorrel stallion by Fowler Dock; James M Shore, Wray, $50,000. Unnamed 1981 Tohlano mare by Impressor; Delmar Humphrey, Morrison, $20,000 Millie Miller, 1971 sorrel mare by Mickey Miller, William J. Lacy, Crested Butte, $20,000. Ima Impressor, 1/20/81 sorrel stallion by Impressor; Bob Green, Erie, $15,000. Unnamed foal; Lane Ranch, Limon, Colo., $7400. Versary's Hot Gossip, 1980 bay mare by Versary Bars; Barbara Thomas to Ronald Paness, Conifer, $5200. Roylay Skipa Sham, 1980 buckskin stallion by Skipa Star; Bennington & Kemp, Castle Rock, $4800. Toxchex, 1979 sorrel stallion by Tox Oh; Ronald F. Ball, Brush, $4500. Roylay Impressor Leo, 3/16/81 chestnut stallion by Impressor; Roy & Jane Staples to G.C. Bergner, Texhoma, Okla., $3000. Sierra Seeker, 1969 sorrel mare by Goldseeker Bars; W.A. Munson, Colorado Springs, $3000. Beach Hawk, 1976 red dun gelding by Beachtime Bar; Sharen K. Schafer to Fred E. or Brad Wagner, Brush, $3000. Bar Cinder, 1977 grey gelding by Bar Fly Bailey; Angela Mason to Daniel G. Stroh, Berthoud, $2800. Gofar Cowboy, 1976 sorrel stallion by Cowboy 2 Duster; Richard and/or Arlene White, Wray, $2600. Oh Jetta Duet, 1980 sorrel mare by Tox OH; Cliff Harvey, Brighton, $2500. Pets Vixen, 1979 chestnut mare by Scoot Baron; Winifred D. Hover to Margaret Colwell, Hay Springs, Neb., $2200. Almont Star Lady, 1966 sorrel mare by Buck's Folly; William Lacy to Jerry & Carold Monks, Limon, $2200. Lizzie's Delight, 1972 bay mare by MR Bars Tag; Albert A. Hall, Canon City, $2100.



GREEN MOUNTAIN RANCH—Green Mountain Angus Ranch, Ryegate, Mont., displayed the grand champion Angus female, Yellowstone Exposition, Billings, Mont. Pictured are: Judge Steve Reimer (left), Chamberlain, S.D.; Montana Angus Queen Ronna Keefer, Roy, Mont.; and owner Gale Todd, Green Mountain Angus Ranch at the halter. The heifer, Patriots Pretty Lady 029, 2/12/80 by Sayre Patriot. (Staff photo by Ralph Heinemann)

Show Results

WYOMING STATE FAIR
Douglas, Wyo., Aug. 18-23

HEREFORDS
Judge: Mark Largent, Wilsall, Mont.

BULLS. Grand and calf champion: Adams Brothers & Co., Kilgore, Neb., on ABC L1 Domino 0246. Reserve grand and senior champion: Shaw Hereford Ranch, Inc., Caldwell, Idaho, on Nugget 951. Reserve senior champion: Venhuizen Herefords, Manhattan, Mont., on JV Domino 967. Reserve calf champion: Butch Sellman, Craford, Neb., on SR LL1 Donald 0628. Yearling champion: Spickler Ranch, Grace City, N.D., on S Titan 035. Reserve yearling champion: Adams Brothers on ABC L1 Domino 0129.

FEMALES. Grand and yearling champion: W. Douglas Phipps, Mullen, Neb., on Fort Dominette 009. Reserve grand and reserve yearling champion: Horn Enterprises, Hermiston, Ore., on HC BC MS Titan 10ET. Calf champion: Vanhuizen, exhibited by Midwest Cattle Co., on 110 JV Shirley 101. Reserve calf champion: Sherry Brown, Lodge Grass, Mont., on MJB MS Mover 0119.

GROUPS. Get-of-sire: Adams Brothers. Best 6 head: Adams Bros. Premier exhibitor: Adams Brothers.

POLLED HEREFORDS
Judge: Spud Kuhlman, North Platte, Neb.

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FEMALES. Grand and senior champion: Wolfe Hereford Ranch on BW Lady Enforce 422M. Reserve grand and junior champion; John E. Rice & Sons on JR Banner Lady M231. Reserve senior champion: Hobbs Polled Herefords on MS Bambi 701 30E. Calf champion: Flying W Ranch, Kimball, Neb., on FWR Jogette 0135. Reserve calf champion: Joni Snapp, Westmoreland, Kan., on G&R Joggers Queen. Junior champion: Wolfe Hereford Ranch on BW Julie Jogger 495M.

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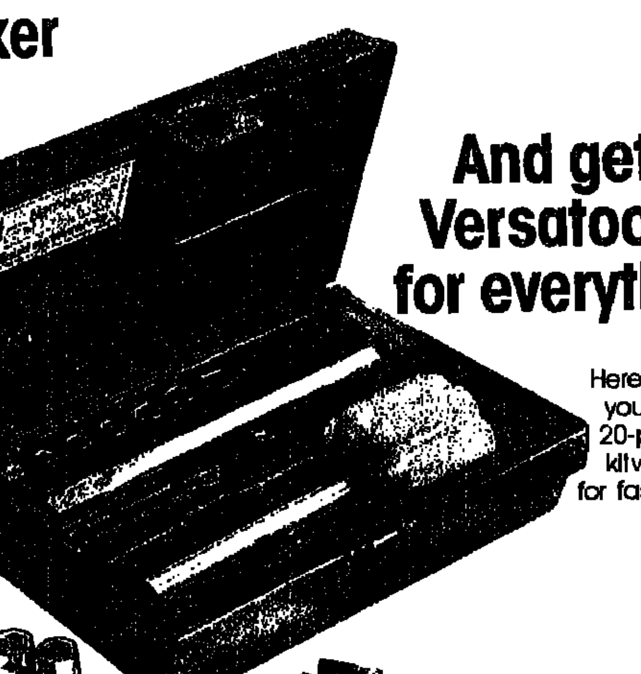

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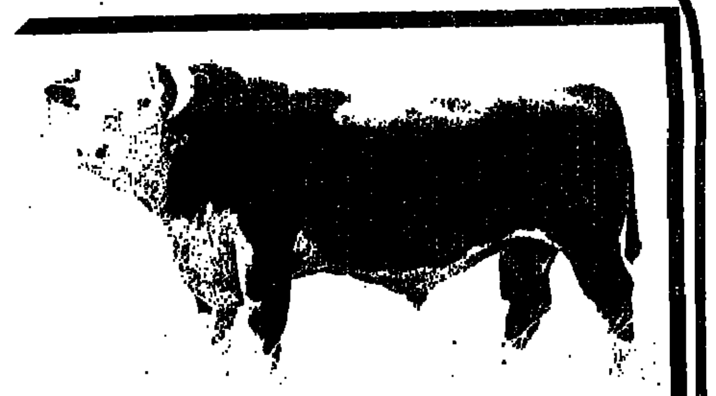

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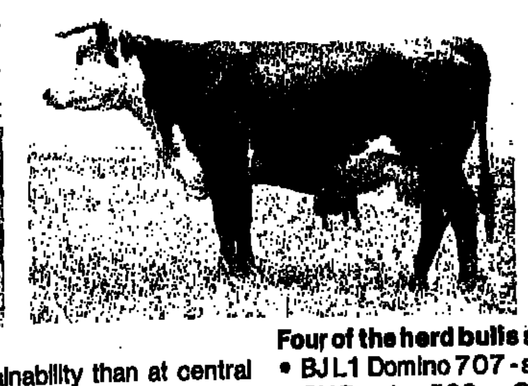

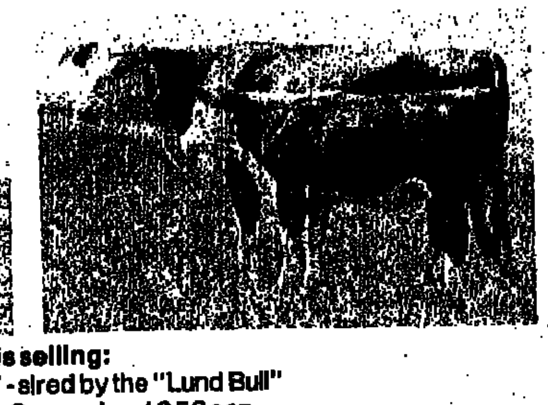

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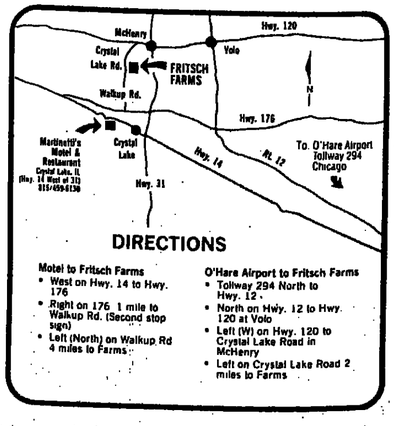

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Genetic process to affect beef industry

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volves transferring the genes which code for a specific trait from one animal to another—even one species to another, as was the case in his experiment involving mice and rabbits. "You can only deal with traits that are coded for by specific genes," said Wagner, "and not many are known in cattle at this time."

The most immediate application, Wagner feels, is in the area of hormone production. "There are a lot of companies spending a lot of money to produce hormones that will stimulate milk and meat production." The problem with current techniques, Wagner continued, is that they are very complex and therefore costly. Wagner explained the gene transfer technique involves introducing the gene which stimulates production of a desired hormone directly into the animal—"direct genetic delivery of an artificial time switch," he said.

"It's important to realize that there's a lot of work to be done," said Wagner. "I think what is needed in the U.S. and worldwide is to enhance the efficiency of animals. That's the kind of goal we're talking about. Hormones increase the physiological efficiency of animals and hopefully (through gene transfer techniques), we'll be able to raise animals with the capability to convert low grade feed into high grade beef and milk."

Nixon gives USDA details of exports

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former boner with a South Australian export company told the national daily "The Australian" he had been offered $4,500, a new car and shares in the company to "keep his mouth shut" when he threatened to tell government authorities about substandard beef and mutton being sold to foreign markets. He alleged meat which was rejected by meat inspectors at abattoirs was smuggled into the cargoes market for export within hours of rejection.

In Perth, West Australia, a member of the Australian Meat Industry Employee's Union said he had been told on three occasions to "tone it down because they didn't want unfavorable publicity" when he complained to Department of Primary Industry officials of meat substitution.

He told the newpaper as far as he knew there was now no substitution of beef in Western Australia, "but substitution has been going on for at least five years, and the Department knew about it."

NUTRITION—Joseph M. Harris, Ph.D., joined the V.M.S., Inc. nutrition staff recently. Dr. Harris received his degrees from the University of Florida in animal science and microbiology.

MANAGER—Douglas J. "Jack" Weseli has been named general manager of the Lovana Farms, Columbus, Miss. unit. Weseli, former managing partner of Black Belt Angus, joined the Lovana staff in July. The Columbus unit will be the main principle for Lovana's Brangus operations.

Assn. plans fall membership drive

Plans for a fall membership drive by the Nebraska Stock Growers Assn.'s Membership/Revenue Committee are currently underway, according to a spokesman for the cattle organization.

The drive is an effort to sign up joint memberships in the Stock Growers organization and the National Cattlemen's Assn. for the 1982 dues year.

New members will pay a reduced dues amount to the NCA by belonging through the state association and, in addition, will receive free memberships for the remaining portion of 1981 and a chance at winning a saddle in a drawing of new members to be held in early winter.

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Show Results

COLORADO STATE FAIR
Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 21-30

CHAROLAIS

Judge: Ted Morgan, Sedgewick, Colo.

BULLS: 9 shown. **Grand and senior champion:** Bauman Ranch, Carpenter, Wyo., on BR Liberator I **Reserve grand and junior champion:** Hubert Charolais Ranch, Monument, Kan., on HCR Perfectionist 0193. **Reserve senior champion:** Rainbow End Ranch and Shallow Creek Charolais, Ft. Sumner, N M., on SCC Extra Courage 919. **Reserve junior champion:** Shallow Creek Charolais on SCC Imperial Courage.**Calf champion:** Kinglesmith's LK Ranch, Meeker, on LK Rocky 117. **Reserve calf champion:** Bauman Ranch on BR Columbia 377.

FEMALES: 15 shown. **Grand and senior champion:** Bauman Ranch on BR Mari 69. **Reserve grand and senior champion:** Bauman Ranch on BR Glamour Girl. **Junior champion:** Shallow Creek Ranch on SCC Perfect Lady 070. **Reserve junior champion:** Sharla Adams and Shallow Creek Charolais on SSC Ms Real Impressive.

GROUPS. Pairs of calves: Kinglesmith's LK Ranch. **Produce of dam:** Bauman Ranch. **Group of 6 head:** Bauman Ranch. **Premier breeder:** Bauman Ranch.

CHIANINA
Judge: Jerry Adamson, Cody, Neb.

BULLS: 11 shown. **Percentage and grand champion:** Mile High Chianina, Denver, on MH Ebony Tartan. **Reserve percentage champion:** Mile High Chianina on MH Ebony Adonis. **Reserve purebred and reserve grand champion:** George Seward Cattle Co., Yuma, exhibited by Bill Becher, on JW Zachariah.

FEMALES: 25 shown. **Percentage and supreme reserve grand champion:** Julie Lebsach, Sterling, on Sky Hi Miss "Fancy Lady." **Purebred and supreme grand champion:** Mile High Chainina on MH Ficosa's Cleopatra. **Reserve purebred champion:** P&L Farms, Akron, on PLF Mariah 102M. **Reserve percentage champion:** Dwight and Tammy Sunthen, Aurora, on Miss Fancy Falem 006.

GROUPS. Get-of-sire: Mile High Chianina. **Cow-calf pair:** Clint Carlson, Denver, and Mile High Chianina. **Premier exhibitor:** Mile High Chianina.

SIMMENTAL
Judge: Johnnie Hook, Manhattan, Kan.

BULLS: 10 shown. **Grand and junior champion:** Big Sky Simmentals and Golden Link, exhibited by Northwest Fitters, Lavina, Mont., on GL Revolution 023M. **Reserve grand and reserve junior champion:** Ute Ranch, La Veta, on Ute Signal Mercury UM2. **Senior champion:** Quarter Circle 7 Simmentals, Big Springs, Neb., on Extra's Legacy.

FEMALES: 35 shown. **Grand and senior champion:** David Kaufman, Ft. Morgan, on MTB Miss 20M. **Reserve and senior champion:** Samuel and Elanor Mick, Gill, on SBW Miss Verlou 4M. **Junior champion:** Justin Cumming, Julesburg, on Miss Signal L29. **Calf and reserve junior champion:** Big Sky Simmental on BSS Gray Gal 052M **Reserve calf champion:** Bridle Bit Simmentals, Gill, on BBS Miss N291. **Premier breeder:** Big Sky Simmental.

TEXAS LONGHORNS
Judges: Dr. and Mrs. L.V. and Pat Baker, Elk City, Okla.

BULLS. Champion: Bob Schultz, Franktown, and Jean Wickland, Castle Rock, on Fifty-Fifty. **Reserve champion:** T.D. Sid Kelsey, Ramah, on Diablo.

FEMALES. Champion: Jean Wickland on Quixote Caledonia. **Reserve champion:** Bar Flying M Cattle Co., Yuma, on Miss Shahan 152. **Premier exhibitor:** Bar Flying M Cattle Co.

JUNIOR MARKET STEERS
Judge: Dr. Bill Able, Manhattan, Kan.

LIGHTWEIGHT DIVISION: 29 shown. **Champion:** Dustin Dorsey, Eaton, on crossbred. **Reserve champion:** Randy Kindsfater, Greeley, on Chianina-cross.

MEDIUM WEIGHT DIVISION: 36 shown. **Champion:** Kent Lebsack, Sterling, on Chianina-Angus. **Reserve champion:** Tim Anderson, Eaton, on Chianina-Angus.

MEDIUM HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION: 30 shown. **Champion:** Heather James, Burlington, on Chianina-Angus. **Reserve champion:** Ben Rogers, Meeker, on Chianina-Angus.

HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION: 47 shown. **Champion:** Tim Anderson on Chianina-Angus. **Reserve champion:** Scott Anderson, Eaton, on Maine/Chianina/Angus.

Grand champion: Kent Lebsack on Chianina-Angus. **Reserve grand champion:** Tim Anderson on Chianina-Angus. **Best group of 3:** Kauffman Farms, Fort Morgan. **Champion of champions:** Scott Maclennan, Bennett. **Reserve champion of champions:** Julie Frontross, Maybell

INTERNATIONAL BRAHMAN FUTURITY
Houston, Texas, Aug. 26-28

Judge: Bill Cowan, Animas, N.M.

BULLS. Champion: Santa Isabel Ranch, Inc., Waller, on S.I.R. Sullman 375, 4/29/79 by Mr. V8 120/2. **Reserve:** M.E. "Bud" Wentz, Olmito, on WFC Dolbert 88/9, 2/23/79 by MEW Crepusculo.

FEMALES. Champion: Bill Tacklit, Floresville, on BDT Miss Swato Manso 383, 2/6/80 by WRF Reswato Manso. **Reserve:** M Ranch, Thornton, on BCF Miss Imp Esto 9, 4/21/80 by WHS Ben Imperator 789/8.

Honduras to cut exports to U.S.

U.S. beef imports from Honduras are expected to decline in 1981 to 22.68 million tons compared with 25.08 million tons in 1980, the U.S. agricultural attache in Guatemala said, reports CNS.

The attache said in a recent report that a rise in domestic meat consumption in Honduras combined with lower prices paid for beef in the U.S. will account for the decline in exports to the U.S.

In the Dominican Republic, exports of beef to the U.S. are expected to increase, the attache in Santo Domingo said. Beef exports for 1981 are expected at 2,900 tons compared with 2,200 in 1980. Good domestic grazing conditions and a better price outlook for the cattle industry will account for the slight increase, the attache said.

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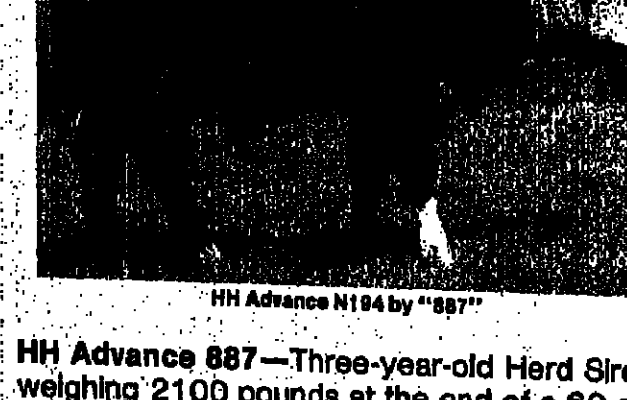

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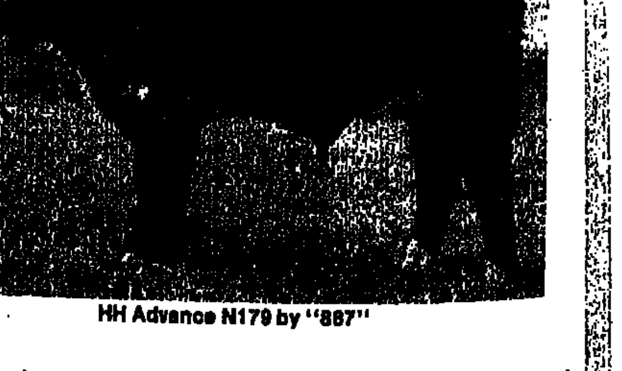

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Getting more beef per acre; welcome news for cattlemen

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With the cost of beef cutting into consumption patterns and a corresponding drop in the price received by cattlemen for their product, anything that helps hold down the cost of producing our favorite meat will be welcome news for both consumers and cattlemen.

Now, farmers and ranchers in the United States and Canada are looking to new ways to get up to 100 lb. more beef from an acre of grazing land. The key to this success is better grassland management, especially rethinking of fertilization programs used on native grasses.

According to a report by Sperry New Holland, a farm machine manufacturer, grazing areas kept in top condition are essential for achieving more beef per acre. Just how to accomplish this varies as much as the grass varieties throughout North America, the report adds.

One of the more consistent ways of boosting productivity of native range is taking place in the Northern Plains, where a large percentage of grass-fattened beef originates. In some cases, stocking rates per acre have nearly doubled.

Duane L. Dodds, extension grassland management specialist at North Dakota State University, says fertilization of the more productive grassland increases the potential grazing capacity and should result in more beef per acre.

Grassland fertilization studies conducted at the Northern Great Plains Research Center (NGPRC) in North Dakota have shown beef cattle grazing on nitrogen fertilized pastures gain more per acre than cattle on untreated ranges.

NGPRC research director Russell Lorenz says pastures in the Plains usually produce 50 lb. of gain per acre for yearling beef. By adding 40 lb. of nitrogen per acre to the range pastures the beef gain was increased to 97 lb. With 80 lb. of fertilizer, the increase was a substantial 125 lb. of gain per acre.

In western Oklahoma, steers grazing native lovegrass supplemented with nitrogen increased the gain per head by 10%. The carrying capacity of the range increased by 25% and beef production per acre was upped 31%.

Improved stocking rates were made possible by the nitrogen applications. Where unfertilized native grassland required 5.3 acres per yearling steer for a 140-day grazing season the fertilized grassland required only 2.6 acres for the same grazing season.

Lorenz says along with the greater carrying capacity, the protein content in the plants is almost always increased by nitrogen applications.

The research suggests another possible benefit of the fertilization program is that improved plant conditions will extend the grazing season.

The fertilization program is not without its problems, however, since fertilizer responds to moisture availability. In dry seasons, the lack of moisture could be a limiting factor.

Because of this problem in drier areas, some cattle producers are looking at an alternative called complementary pasturing or complementary seeding.

This practice uses other forages, grasses or legume plants introduced into or used in conjunction with native grass pasturing areas. These additional plants can boost pasture nutrition and produce more beef per acre, says Mark Kilcher, range scientist at the Swift Current Research Station in Saskatchewan.

Kilcher says the principle of complementary seeding comes from the growth patterns of various forage plants. Cool season grasses such as crested wheatgrass, Russian Wild Ryegrass and adapted alfalfa varieties make 80% of their seasonal growth during the first 5-6 weeks of grazing in the spring. Native plants have only 25% of their seasonal growth at this same time.

During the first part of the season, cattle can graze the cool season grasses and later move to the native plants. If the cattle graze only on the native plants during the early season, their nutritional needs will not be fully met and gains could be kept low.

Finding the best plant growth for the Russian Wild Ryegrass and Altai Wild Ryegrass pasture netted a 200-lb. animal gain per acre, Kilcher notes. This was in an area where livestock gains on native range averaged 17 lb. per acre.

Jim Waggoner, an animal scientist at the University of Wyoming, is also studying complementary seeding theories. He claims the benefits from the combination of native range and crested wheatgrass include an increased carrying capacity of the land, more pounds of calf produced per acre, better weight gains and earlier calving dates for cows.

Complementary pasturing also offers a number of benefits from the actual nutrient value of plants to the added capacity for grazing animal units.

It is an alternative that demands the best in management skills, Kilcher stresses. Each producer must decide which grasses or legumes will best complement his existing range or pastureland.

Fertilization and complementary seeding can promote more efficient grassland beef production. However, even these systems would be useless without proper management, the Sperry New Holland report points out.

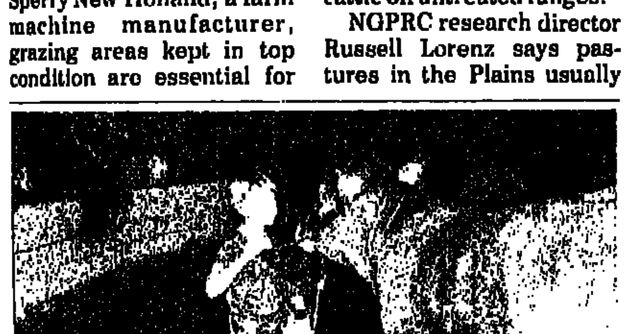
One of the major limiting factors in native grass management is water availability. Native grass responds to wet and dry years differently than do seeded crops. One wet or dry year only affects the yields that season, but if two or more wet or dry seasons come in a row, the plants will be affected.

Many steps can be taken to better manage the native grass grazing areas. One of those is deferred grazing which involves holding the cattle off native grass early in the grazing season until the plants have matured.

The cattle can use other pasturing areas until mid-season or graze on areas where legumes and other grasses have been introduced into the range system.

Sometimes grassland management comes down to basic economic decisions. Lorenz suggests dropping the rigid schedule of always keeping the capacity herd through the winter and selling the calves the following season. Determining if your grazing areas can stand a full herd is the first step in deciding on pasture management.

Kilcher adds many management tricks exist in good native pasture use, but absolutely nothing is more important than deferred grazing starts, moderate usage and reduced herd carryover.



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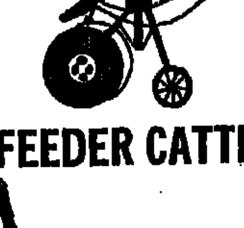

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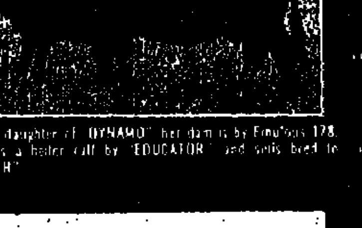

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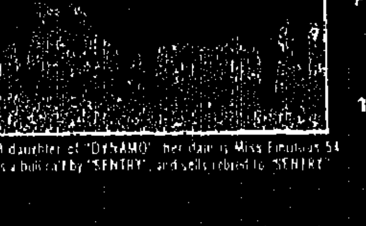

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Poultry, hog industry profits hurt by high interest rates

Continued high interest rates have squeezed profits in the poultry and hog industries during the last year, according to poultry and hog industry sources contacted by CNS.

Because most poultry companies are large and vertically integrated, the poultry industry carries large inventories and borrows large sums of money, poultry sources said.

Tyson Foods, which produces 3.5 million broilers per week, has an inventory in excess of $75 million, $40 million of which is borrowed, said Gerald Johnston, executive vice president of finance for Tyson.

"Interest rates have a tremendous effect on the bottom line," Johnston said. A big portion of the borrowed capital is carried in short-term debts. It is necessary for Tyson to borrow more capital than before because of high interest rates.

The interest rate charged poultry producers has averaged 17% during the last nine months, Johnston said. Interest charges account for about 3% of the cost of gain at Tyson, he said.

High interest rates have increased borrowing levels, said Roland Rexroth, vice president of finance of Cagle's, Inc., another poultry producer. Cagle's is borrowing twice the level of its equity base. Of the borrowed capital, 50% to 60% is financed through short-term loans and the balance is longer-term. Interest rates paid by Cagle's range from 7% to 25%, he said.

Expected lower grain costs this fall may offset some of the high interest costs, Rexroth said. Revenue has not compensated for the high interest rates, he said.

Inventories such as feed ingredients are kept at a minimum, Johnston said, to reduce interest payments. However, because much of the poultry industry is vertically integrated, production cannot be reduced because efficiency will suffer.

The poultry industry has had to realize interest rates are not going to decline, Johnston said. Many poultry producers were attempting to hold on until interest rates declined.

Some smaller poultry producers will probably begin cutting back because of unprofitability brought on by high interest rates, Johnston said. However, poultry production for the third quarter of 1981 is expected to be up 6% compared with a year earlier, analysts said.

The hog industry also has felt the pinch of high interest rates, along with a sustained period of depressed cash hog prices last year, pork producers and lenders told CNS.

This period of losses was "a little longer and a little rougher than hog producers thought it would be," Keith Van Gilst, an Iowa Hog producer told CNS in an earlier interview. The unexpected jump in interest rates might have broken a few, he said.

Bankers are taking a hard look at cash flow, said Allen Keppy, an Iowa hog producer. High interest rates have been a major drain on cash flow.

Loans for new construction for feeder pig purchases are down substantially because of continued high interest rates, said Charles Nichols, executive vice president of loans, First Central State Bank, Dewitt, Iowa.

Hog producers who have borrowed and expanded in the last few years have experienced large financial losses, said Richard Larson, President of Ottumwa, Iowa, Federal Land Bank. If a hog producer has a land base, he is in better financial shape, he said.

High interest rates have increased the amount of losses during the last year, they said, and as a result, many large hog confinement units have been closed or put up for sale.

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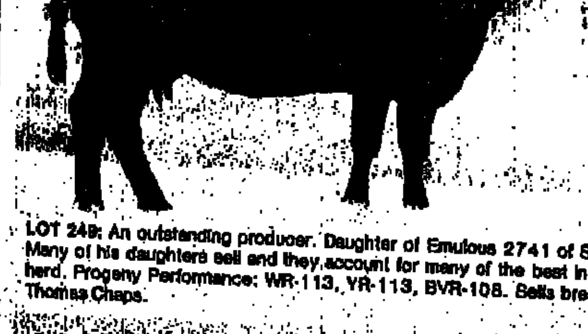

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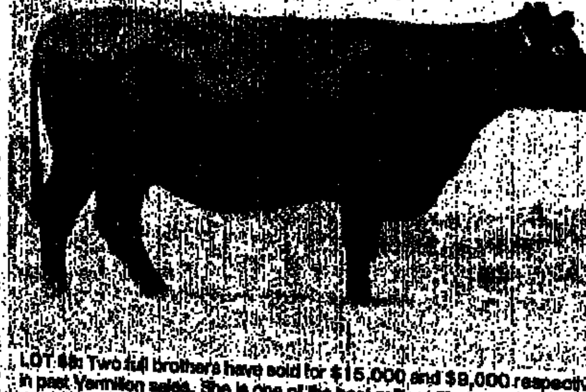

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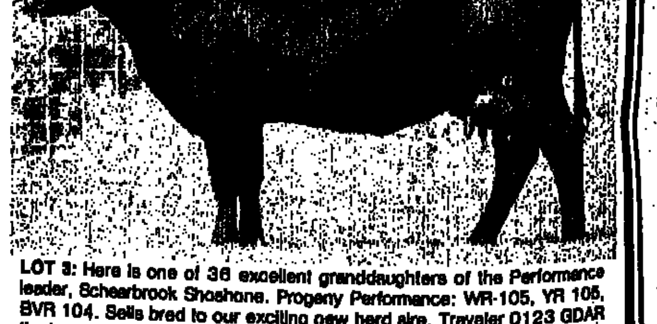

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Limit federal expenditures; main objective of farm bill

The Reagan administration's main objective of the pending 1981 farm bill is to limit federal expenditures for farm programs, U.S. Agriculture Secretary John Block said recently.

"Anything that would be a major Treasury exposure (federal expenditure) would be a potential reason for a presidential veto," Block said in an interview with CNS.

Block would not predict the outcome on the controversial target price issue, which has been a major conflict between Congress and the administration during formulation of the 1981 omnibus bill. He reiterated that if target prices were not eliminated from the House and Senate Agricultural Committee versions of the farm bill, they would have to reduced so that the Treasury would not be susceptible to substantial deficiency payments.

Both the Senate and House Agriculture Committee bills mandate minumum target price levels for the four years of the bill. Those levels generally are sharp increases from current target prices. In the present bill, the agriculture secretary has the authority to set target prices. Block has said earlier that if he had that discretion, he would set target prices at the loan rate, which would assure no deficiency payments.

"Farmers do not believe in a direct dip out of the Treasury," Block said.

Block cited the dairy program as a major worry to the administration. He also said the wheat and rice provisions in the 1981 farmbill proposals were excessive and would have to be reduced.

On sugar and peanuts, Block conceded that the administration had backed away from its earlier goals of dismantling the peanut marketing quota and acreage allotment provisions and of not having a sugar loan program.

"We will let Congress work its will on sugar and peanuts. "We're not going to pressure for the original administration position," he said.

The Reagan administration backed away from both of those provisions in return for conservative Democrat support of the Reagan administration budget and tax cut bills passed this summer.

On the general farm price situation, Block said, "I am deeply concerned about farm prices in general, but I'm not doom and gloom—at least we have a crop."

When asked if taking away target prices was going to leave an adequate "safety net" for the farm economy, Block said the loan rate and the reserve program serve as an adequate safety net.

He said farmers' slowness in putting wheat in the reserve indicated their optimism for better prices. However, Block said he was not concerned at the slow rate wheat was going into the reserve.

A decision on the feed grain reserve program is pending, he said, and he would not reveal when the administration would make a decision on the program.

Block said he did not anticipate changing his decision not to implement production controls for the upcoming 1981-82 wheat and feed grain crops. While he reiterated he would prefer a paid diversion program if production controls were ever implemented, he said he would want to retain the option of a set-aside program.

Cow Palace to be site of Oct. Brahman Clinic

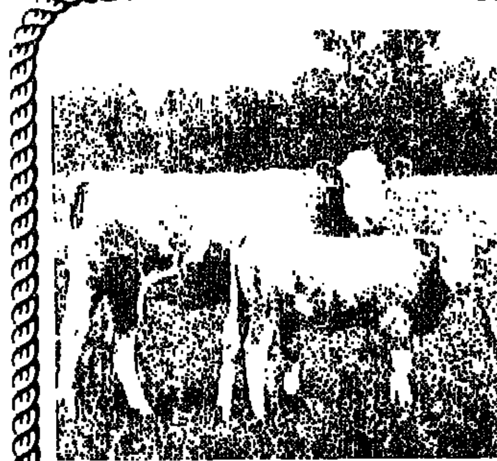
Noted authorities on Brahman cattle will address wide-ranging topics affecting the industry at the Western Brahman Clinic II, to be held during the 37th annual Grand National Livestock Exposition, Rodeo and Horse Show, Oct. 23 through Nov. 1, at the San Francisco Cow Palace.

The clinic, to be held Wednesday, Oct. 28, was introduced last year at the Grand National. The clinic is co-sponsored by the Western Brahman Breeders Assn. (WBBA) and "J" Custom Fitters, Inc. of Wharton, Texas.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Cow Palace Sales Pavilion, followed at 9:30 a.m. by welcome addresses from Ron Anderson, WBBA President and Darrel Chapman, Grand National manager.

The clinic will close with a question and answer session and refreshment period. On Thursday, Oct. 29, the Cow Palace will host the second Pure Bred Brahman and F-1 Female sale.

Clinic registration is $20. For more information contact John Joyce at 713/657-2212, or the Cow Palace Livestock Dept., P.O. Box 34206, San Francisco, Calif. 94134, phone 415/469-6071.



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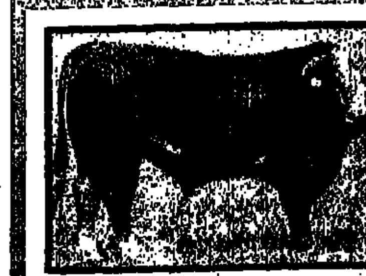

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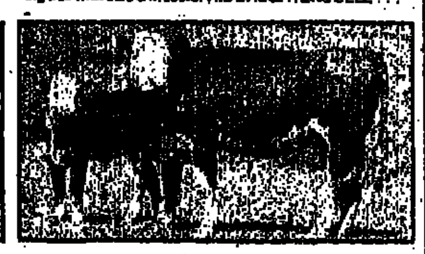

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Market Roundup:

Market aggressive despite slow trade

TRADE ON FED CATTLE was rather slow to moderate through most of this week, as buyers remain cautious in the face of week wholesale beef trade coupled with a continuing moderate federally inspected slaughter rate.

Most buying interests were never very aggressive and very hesitant about carrying large inventories over the long holiday weekend. The best demand continued to center on steers over 1100 lb. and heifers over 950 lb. with lighter weights hard to move and finding only narrow outlets. The market showed only limited numbers of 900-1000 lb. steers and 850-900 lb. heifers returning to feedlots as feeder buyers were cautious and not as competitive for numbers.

The supply of market ready cattle is still very current and average to high choice steers over 1150 lb. and heifers over 950 lb. where found in short supply.

Price trends on slaughter steers and heifers continued rather unoven, with Midwestern terminals and direct trade markets finishing mostly lower.

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COLORADO STEERS MD. frame #1 325-425 lb. $72.50-79.50; 425-500 lb. $67.75-73; 550-700 lb. $63.50-68.25; 700-800 lb. $63-67; 800-925 lb. $62.75-66. Heifers md. frame #1 300-375 lb. $64-69.75; 500-600 lb. $60.25-63.75; 600-725 lb. $59-62.75. Wyoming, western Nebraska, southwestern South Dakota steers md. frame #1 450-600 lb. $65.50-68.25; 600-700 lb. $64.75-68.85; 700-800 lb. $64.75-67.50; 800-900 lb. $63.50-67.20; 900-1000 lb. $61.75-65. Heifers md. frame #1 400-600 lb. $60.75-64.50; 600-700 lb. $60-64; 800-900 lb. $59-63.75; 900-1000 lb. $62-65. Montana steers md. frame #1 650-900 lb. $62-65. Heifers, md. frame #1 550-750 lb. $58-61. California steers md. frame #1 375-400 lb. $67; 522 lb. $64; 625-675 lb. $62.50-62.75; 725-900 lb. $60-63. Heifers md. frame #1 550-600 lb. $55-56; 600-800 lb. $55-57. Washington, Oregon and Idaho steers md. frame #1 275-300 lb. $64-70; 300-500 lb. $62.50-68; 500-600 lb. $62-65.50; 600-800 lb. $60-63.30; 800-900 lb. $60-64.20; 900-1000 lb. $61-62.50. Heifers md. frame #1 300-500 lb. $53.75-58; 500-600 lb. $52.50-55.50; 600-850 lb. $52.75-58.25.

ARIZONA SLAUGHTER STEERS mixed good and choice 2-3 925-1050 lb. $69-69.50; good with end choice 2-3 950-1100 lb. $68.50-69; 1150 lb. $66.50; mostly good 2-3 1050 lb. $68-68.50; Holsteins $64-64.50. Colorado slaughter steers good to mostly choice #3's 1050-1150 lb. $66-66.75. Heifers good to mostly choice 2-3 925-1025 lb. $64.50-65; mixed good and choice 950 lb. $63. Idaho slaughter steers good to mostly choice 2-3 1125-1200 lb. $66-66.50; Holsteins $58. Heifers good to mostly choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. $62-63. Eastern Kansas slaughter steers choice 2-4 1050-1175 lb. $66.50-67; choice with end good 1050-1075 lb. $66-66.75; Holsteins $58.50-59.75. Heifers choice 2-4 930-1000 lb. $63-65.50; choice with end good 850-1000 lb. $63-63.50; mixed good and choice heiferettes 1050-1125 lb. $60-62. Western Kansas slaughter steers choice 2-4 1050-1225 lb. $66.25-67.50; choice with end good 1025-1250 lb. $65.50-67; mixed good and choice 1150-1300 lb. $64; Holsteins $62-62.75. Heifers choice 2-4 950-1050 lb. $63.50-65.

MONTANA SLAUGHTER STEERS good to mostly choice 2-4 1050-1150 lb. $64.50-65. Heifers good to mostly choice 2-4 925-1000 lb. $61.50-62.

SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN, Nevada slaughter steers choice 2-4 1050-1150 lb. $67-68; mixed good and choice 2-4 1000-1200 lb. $66-67.50; Holsteins $65-65.50. Heifers choice 2-4 950-1000 lb. $64.50-65.50; mixed good and choice 2-4 900-1000 lb. $64-64.50. Texas, western Oklahoma slaughter steers good and mostly choice 2-3 1025-1175 lb. $67-67.50; mixed good and choice 2-3 975-1175 lb. $66-67; good with few choice 2-3 1100-1150 lb. $68-68; Holsteins $62-64. Heifers choice 2-3 950-975 lb. $66; good and mostly choice 2-3 900-1000 lb. $64-64.50; mixed good and choice 2-3 875-1000 lb. $63-64; good and choice 2-4 950-1100 lb. heiferettes $60-62. Utah slaughter steers good to mostly choice 2-3 1075-1200 lb. $64-66; Holsteins $59-60. Heifers good to mostly choice 2-3 950-1000 lb. $62-62.50.

SAN ANGELO SLAUGHTER spring lambs choice and prime 90-120 lb. shorn with #1-2 pelts $48-51; few 112-114 lb. $51.75-53.40; 111 lb. wooled $50. Ewes, good $18-21; utility $16-19; cull and low util. $12-16. Sioux Falls feeder pigs US 1-2 30-50 lb. $24-38; 30-40 lb. $35-40; 40-50 lb. $41-45.50; 50-60 lb. $43-48.50; 80-100 lb. $49-57.50.

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CENTRAL AUCTION ROUNDUP

(Reports as quoted by markets)

McKINLEY-WINTER LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO., INC.
Dodge City, Kan., Sept. 3

7,100 head received: Feeder steers, md. frame 1 500-600 lb. $62.25-66.90; 600-700 lb. $65-67.70; 700-800 lb. $65-68.10; 800-900 lb. $64.50-65.50; fleshy 650-950 lb. $64.50-66. Md. frame 1 and 2 600-800 lb. $63.50-66. Md. frame 1 360-500 lb. $63.75-65.50. Feeder heifers, md. frame 1 380-385 lb. $61-62; 400-500 lb. $55.25-59.75; 500-600 lb. $56-60.60; 600-700 lb. $60-62.80; 700-825 lb. $59-61.60. Md. frame 1 and 2 380-450 lb. $57.10-62; 600-750 lb. $57.75-60.50. Slaughter cows, ut. and comm. $38-42.75; high dressing $44-44.50; cutter $37.25-41.75; canner and low cutter $34-36.75. Slaughter bulls, YG 1-2 1300-2050 lb. $51.25-55.75.

AMARILLO LIVESTOCK AUCTION
Amarillo, Texas, Sept. 8

5,108 head received: Feeder steers, md. frame 1 400-500 lb. $66.75-70.50; 500-600 lb. $64.50-67.60; 600-800 lb. $63.75-66.25. Md. and lg. frame 1-2 300-400 lb. $66.50-74; 400-500 lb. $62.75-66; 500-700 lb. $61.50-64.50. Feeder heifers, md. frame 1 400-500 lb. $57.25-60.10; 500-600 lb. $56-59.20; 600-700 lb. $57.25-59. Md. frame 1-2 300-400 lb. $59.25-63.75; 400-500 lb. $55.50-57.25; 500-700 lb. $55.25-56.50. Slaughter cows, cutter and low utility 2-3 $40.50-44.75; canner and low cutter 1-2 $33-40.50. Slaughter bulls, YG 1-2 1300-1625 lb. $54.25-58.

TEXHOMA LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO., INC.
Texhoma, Okla., Sept. 4

3,119 head received: Feeder steers, choice 250 lb. $63; 300 lb. $75-75.50; 400 lb. $69-75.25; 500 lb. $65.40-66.50; 600 lb. $65.50-67.10; 700 lb. $65.60-66.90; 870 lb. $63.80; 1012 lb. $62.10. Feeder heifers, choice 200 lb. $67-71; 300 lb. $60.25-64, 574 lb. $59.10; 600 lb. $60.60-61.80. Replacements, pairs $475.

EMPORIA LIVESTOCK SALES CO., INC.
Emporia, Kan., Sept. 4

2,782 head received: Feeder steers, choice 250-500 lb. $70-76; good $65-70; common $60-65. Good and choice 500-650 lb. $65-70; common $60-65; 650-800 lb. $63-66; common $60-63; 850-1100 lb. $62-65; common $60-63. Feeder heifers, choice 250-450 lb. $62-65; good $58-62; common $50-55. Good and choice 450-650 lb. $57-61; common $54-57; 650-800 lb. $57-61; common $54-55. Slaughter cows, heiferettes $53-56; ut. $45-50; comm. $42-45; canner and cutter $40-44. Slaughter bulls, ut. $55-58; canner and cutter $49-50; steers and heifers 750 lb. and heavier $63-64. Replacements, stock cows $46-48; pairs $500-575; stocker bulls 500-700 lb. $59-62; 700-1000 lb. $55-57.

PORT CITY STOCKYARDS
Sealy, Texas, Sept. 3

2,623 head received: Feeder steers, md. frame 1 225-300 lb. $82-90; 300-350 lb. $77-82; 350-400 lb. $69-77; 400-500 lb. $65-69. Lg. frame 1 450-500 lb. $64.50-65.50; 500-600 lb. $60-63.50. Sm. frame 1 325-400 lb. $60-63.50. Md. frame 1-2 200-250 lb. $67-92. Md. frame 2 250-300 lb. $60-85; 300-350 lb. $74-79; 350-400 lb. $68-74; 400-450 lb. $62-68; 450-500 lb. $59-62; yearling $57-60. Feeder heifers, md. frame 1-2 200-250 lb. $60-65; 250-300 lb. $57-60; 300-400 lb. $54-57; 400-500 lb. $53-56. Lg. frame 1 525-585 lb. $55-56.50. Slaughter cows, ut. 2-3 $40-44.50; canner and low cutter $37.50-40.50. Slaughter bulls, YG 1-2 1200-1800 lb. $49-56; 900-1200 lb. $46-49. Replacements, heifers 300-500 lb. $63-70.

TORRINGTON LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO.
Torrington, Wyo., Sept. 4

2,291 head received: Feeder steers, choice 400-500 lb. $64-68; 500-600 lb. $64-66; 600-700 lb. $65-66. Feeder heifers, choice 400-500 lb. $62-65; 500-600 lb. $62-63; 600-700 lb. $61-63. Slaughter cows. $41-48. Slaughter bulls $52-56.

CLOVIS LIVESTOCK MARKET, INC.
Clovis, N.M., Sept. 2

1,371 head received: Feeder steers, md. frame 1 325-435 lb. $75-83; 500-600 lb. $64.50-66.75; 525 lb. $68.40; 600-800 lb. $63.75-65.50. Md. frame 1-2 550-675 lb. $60-63.90. Feeder heifers, md. frame 1 500-600 lb. $57-58.75; 600-700 lb. $55.10-57.75. Md. frame 1-2 345-425 lb. $56-62; 600-700 lb. $50-55. Slaughter cows, ut. and comm. 2-4 $40.50-45; cutter $37-40.70. Slaughter bulls, YG 1-2 990-1640 lb. $49-55.75. Replacements, pairs, md. frame 1 middleaged $480-600.

EL PASO LIVESTOCK AUCTION
El Paso, Texas, Sept. 1

690 head received: Feeder steers, choice yearling 450-800 lb. $64-70; good to md. $58-65. Calves 250-400 lb. $75-92.50; crossbred $75-92.50. Feeder heifers, choice yearling 450-800 lb. $57.50-65; good to md. $52.50-58. Calves 250-400 lb. $65-75; crossbred $60-75. Slaughter cows, ut. and comm. $45-48; standard heifers $57.50-62.50; canner and cutter $35-42. Slaughter bulls, ut. and comm. $57.50-62.50. Replacements, stocker bulls $52.50-65; stocker cows $40-55 per lb.; pairs $475-650.

CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK AUCTION
Fort Collins, Colo., Sept. 3

600 head received: Feeder calves light weight $98-75; yearling steers 550-650 lb. $66-68. Heifer calves $62-68; yearling heifers 550-650 lb. $60-64. Slaughter cows, high yielding cutter $48-52; medium $44-48; thin $40-43; feeder $38-42; heiferettes up to $59.50. Slaughter bulls, $54-58; high yielding up to $60.25.

SHEEP CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK AUCTION
Fort Collins, Colo., Sept. 3

2,067 head received: Sheep, spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 105-125 lb. $46.75-48; choice $46.35-46.75. Short spring slaughter lambs, choice and prime 105-107 lb. No. 2-3 pelts $46-47.85; choice 92-105 lb. $43-45.50. Feeder lambs, choice and fancy 65-70 lb. $47.85-48; 72-83 lb. $45-47; 85-90 lb. $44-45.50; good and choice 55-90 lb. $42.50-43.75. Feeder choice and fancy 92-94 lb. $44.65. Ewe lambs, choice and fancy 92-109 lb. $46.25-46.25. Breeding ewes, wooled 120-145 lb. $13.50-15.75 cwt.; 140 lb. $25 per head; broken mouth 90-130 lb. $10-14 per cwt. Breeding bucks, limbe yearlings and twos $67.50-75; 185-340 lb. $65-130 per head.

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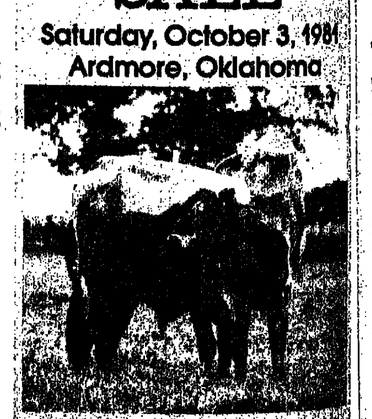

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Silver City pharmacist gets good Bloat Stop test results

Like a grim specter, bloat has forever haunted *stockmen brave enough to graze* their cattle and *sheep on cheap, protein-*rich legumes. In the long *run, bloat has come out on* top, either killing hundreds *of cattle* and sheep each year, or seriously diminishing the productivity of the livestock that lived.

In recent years stockmen have found aid *through* pharmaceutical research. Modern science has discovered a cure and preventative to break down the mucous formation that gathers in the rumen after grazing luguminous crops like alfalfa and clover. As with any sure cure, there have been problems with these surfactants that have been discovered.

Now, however, bloat protection may be reaching that 100% effective level, according to research being conducted by Larry Griffin of Silver City, N.M. His approach rests on the assumption that cattle and sheep have to drink water and there must be a palatable chemical that can be administered in a controlled condition through the water system.

Griffin, a pharmacist by profession, became interested in alfalfa grazing in 1972. "In 1972," he stated, "I read an article in a Lubbock, Texas newspaper on bloat preventative that interested me. My brother, Monte, and I were both looking for a method to increase production of forage with livestock production. *Profits from grazing* cattle or sheep per acre *would greatly outperform* other types of cash crops, *because of the number of* head grazing per acre. *Alfalfa produces as much* or more protein per acre *than any crop we know.*"

The stumbling block in *grazing* alfalfa, of course, was the bloat problem. Different forms of bloat protection were not working 100% and were costing in the neighborhood of $0.35 per head per day. As a pharmacist, Mr. Griffin was knowledgeable of gases that form in the rumen and the froth that entrapped these gases to cause the frightful bloat.

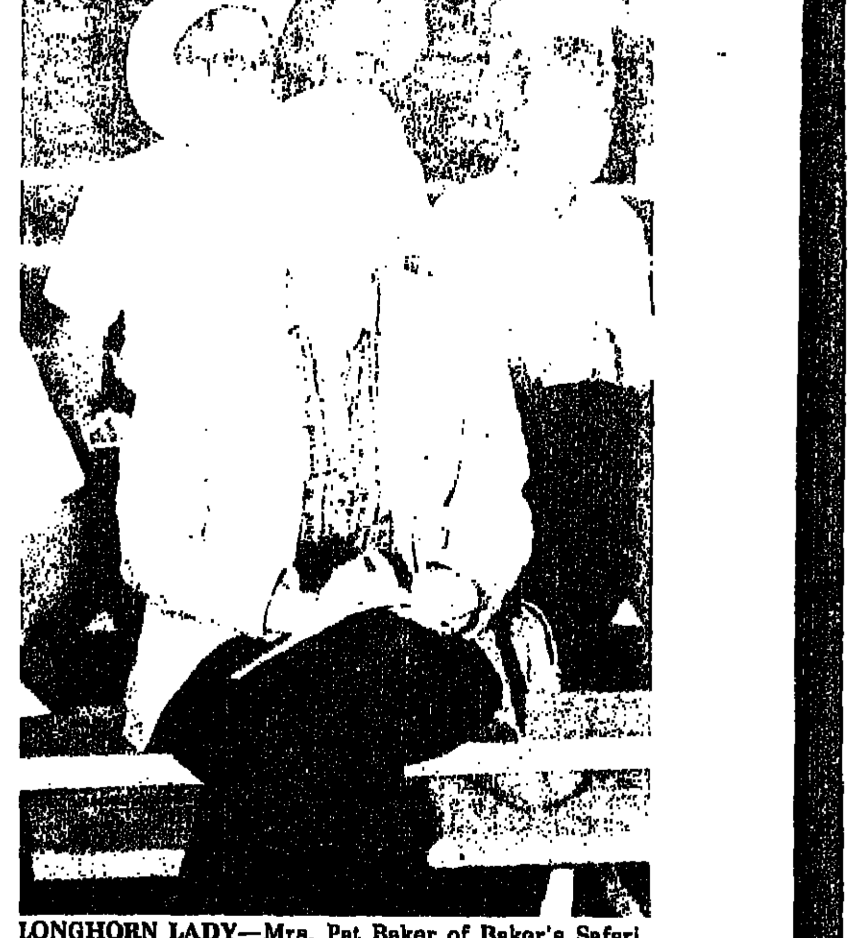
Many products were tested by Griffin before discovering the present product that he calls aqua Bloat Stop. Silicones were first tested, but were not 100% effective and became too expensive. Poloxalene was also tested extensively, but proved ineffective due to palatability problems. "The cattle just would not drink the water that contained poloxalene," he stated intently.

After five years of primary research and hours and hours in every library available, the discovery came. A product that was nontoxic, decreased the froth formed and most importantly was palatable. "The cattle and sheep love this stuff," he stated smiling. "They will drink the medicated water before they will fresh [water]," he added.

Griffin now has formal test data on approximately *500 head of cattle* and 200 head of sheep. The death loss has been 0.00% thus far. "One steer did bloat *and die after he jumped a* fence and stayed away *from water 2 days,*" Griffin mentioned.

Mr. Griffin has many farmers and ranchers doing controlled field trials for him from Colorado to Arizona with more interest every day. "We need all the data we can get on water consumption under every condition we can find to submit to the Food and Drug Administration," he stated. "We now know the aqua Bloat Stop is foolproof, but we have to prove this fact beyond a doubt to the FDA," he emphasized.

The data being reported stated that feeder steers and heifers are gaining from 1.3-2.5 lb. per head per day and up to 2100 lb. of beef per acre in a growing season. The sheep producers report grazing 10-25 head per acre all summer long with no statistical weight gain reported at this writing. [Courtesy of the New Mexico Stockman]



LONGHORN LADY—Mrs. Pat Baker of Baker's Safari Ranch, in Elk City, Okla., purchased many of the high selling animals recently in the C.J. Frantz Longhorn Production Sale. (Staff photo by Lee Pitts)

Farm leader blames inflation for disappointing income year

A national farm leader *blames continuing* double digit inflation for the disap*pointing income year* now shaping up for most farmers *and ranchers.*

Robert Delano, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, says there is a direct relationship between high inflation, high interest rates, rapidly rising input costs and depressed farm income.

He adds that enactment by Congress of the full economic recovery program, including further spending cuts, holds the best answer to farm income improvement.

"Our analysis shows total farm production costs increasing about 9% to 10% this year over 1980. This corresponds almost exactly to the underlying rate of inflation that exists in this country today," Delano says.

"Obviously the relationship between inflation and farm production costs is direct and significant," Delano continued. "It is the *reason farmers* and ranchers urge support for the *complete economic* recovery package with its *emphasis on reduced* federal taxation and spending *and consistent monetary* policies."

Delano *maintains* that although the budgetary *reforms and tax cut victories* are important, they are *only half of the four point* economic recovery battle. Still remaining, he adds, is the need for further spending cuts, regulatory decontrol and full commitment by the Federal Reserve Board and others to sound monetary policies.

Obituaries

JOHN W. LITTLE

John W. Little, a well-known livestock man, passed away after suffering a heart attack recently in North Dakota.

Little, 61, was born in Clarksville, Texas, April 1, 1920 and married Aetna Mae Watts in 1945 in Clarksville. Little later moved to Crowell, Texas and worked on the Halsell Ranch. *From there Little* moved to Snyder, Texas and worked as a paint contractor for 10 years then moved to Ellendale, N.D., in 1961 where he ranched and *farmed until his death.*

Little raised cattle for 20 years. He was a member of the Baptist Church, National Cattlemen's Assn., North Dakota Cattlemen's Assn. and a member of the Masonic Lodge #13, Ellendale.

Wayne is survived by his wife, Aetna; one daughter, Judy Zeigler, Devils Lake, N.D.; four sons, Larry, Garry, Ellendale; Don, Devils Lake, N.D.; Eddy Wayne, Ada, Okla. Little was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

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